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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS: CONGRESSIONAL QUERY

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1. FOLLOWING IS INFORMATION REQUESTED BY CONGRESSMEN
PASSMAN AND MILLER CONCERNING FUNDS BEING SPENT BY ROYAL
LAO GOVERNMENT (RLG) ON DRUG CONTROL AT HOME AND ABROAD.

2. DOMESTIC INPUTS:

A. SUPPLY (ENFORCEMENT)

CIVIL POLICE \$38,000

MILITARY POLICE 10,000

GSI 19,000

CUSTOMS 1,600

B. DEMAND (TREATMENT, REHABILITATION, PREVENTION,
ETC.)

AGRICULTURAL REDIRECTION \$1,000

ADDICT DETOX. & REHABILITATION 6,500

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3. FOREIGN: ZERO

4. COMMENT: LOW LEVELS OF RLG INPUTS INTO DRUG CONTROL PROGRAM ARE REFLECTIVE OF THE BUDGETARY LIMITATIONS FACING A NATION WHICH IS AMONG THE WORLD'S POOREST AND MOST UNDER-DEVELOPED, AS WELL AS ONE WHICH HAS

RECENTLY HAS BEEN RAVAGED BY A DEBILITATING WAR. IN ADDITION, SINCE RLG INPUT GENERALLY CONSTITUTES SALARIES FOR LAO EMPLOYEES IN VARIOUS ANTI-DRUG PROGRAMS, IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT IN VIEW OF CONTRAST BETWEEN LAO AND AMERICAN STANDARDS OF LIVING, SUCH SUMS MANAGE TO FUND A RELATIVELY LARGE NUMBER OF RLG POSITIONS.

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